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- 1) Amendment/Reply transmittal; and
- 2) Amendment.

Attorney Docket No.: Verizon-18 (01-1512)

Appl. No.: 10/010,774

Applicant: Baoqing Ye

Filed: November 13, 2001

Title: EARLY TRAFFIC REGULATION TECHNIQUES TO PROTECT AGAINST NETWORK
FLOODING

TC/A.U.: 2664

Examiner: Foong Lin Khoo

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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$110.00 to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$395.00 ☐ \$790.00 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted _____, on _____, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ A request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

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- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
☒ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. Of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	20	23	0	x \$50.00 =	00.00
Ind. Claims	5	3	2	x \$200.00 =	400.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00					
Total Amendment Fee					400.00
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					400.00

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To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 07-2347 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 3, 2005, which set a period for response to expire on January 3, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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